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## Briefing

### Great Places program to be at Surf

**CLEAR LAKE** — Gov. Tom Vilsack's Iowa Great Places program comes to the Surf Ballroom in Clear Lake from 4 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, May 17.

Iowa Great Places is designed to bring together the resources of state government to encourage bold thought and innovation and build capacity in communities, regions, neighborhoods or districts.

The focus of Iowa Great Places is to cultivate the unique and authentic qualities that make these areas special places to live, work and visit.

The forums are free and open to the public and will be a great opportunity to explore the potential of Iowa Great Places.

You can register online and find lots more information at [www.iowagreatplaces.gov](http://www.iowagreatplaces.gov).

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